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**THINK IT OVER**

(Bryant)

Truth, The Invincible.  
 Truth crushed to earth shall rise again,  
 The eternal years of God are hers;  
 But Error, wounded, writhes in pain,  
 And dies among his worshippers.

Some persons may be interested in  
 work for work's sake, but most of  
 us want to see the pay envelope.

So far no G. O. P. rush for copies  
 of the separate peace resolution to  
 frame has been observed.

One of the international sports that  
 will create interest is the effort of the  
 administration to get Bergdoll.

Poetry may be soul food, as Dr.  
 Frank Crane says, but a lot of folks  
 would rather subsist on the baseball  
 scores.

Congress is in extraordinary session,  
 but it has done nothing so far to in-  
 dicate that there are any extraordi-  
 nary congressmen in attendance.

In redeeming the G. O. P., pre-  
 election promise to devise a tax that  
 nobody will have to pay, yet is ample  
 to meet the expenses of the govern-  
 ment, congress has a job on its hands.

America's foreign trade last month  
 was three-quarters of billion dollars  
 less than in the corresponding month  
 last year. But of course a republican  
 tariff will restore it.

Why are some of the Republican  
 papers so touchy now about references  
 to the separate peace resolution? Did  
 not Harding vote for it in the senate  
 and declare for it in his recent mes-  
 sage to congress? Having urged his  
 election with the knowledge that he  
 was for such a peace resolution the  
 logical thing for them, no that he has  
 recommended it, would be to look  
 glad instead of gloomy.

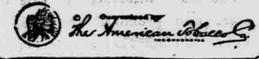
**RESOLUTION IN CONGRESS TO  
 RECOGNIZE IRELAND**

Yesterday the United States had  
 under consideration a resolution to  
 recognize the Irish Republic and a  
 prepared address urging the passage  
 of this resolution was being made by  
 Senator LaFollette. The fact that  
 Senator LaFollette himself was advocat-  
 ing this measure should of itself be  
 argument enough against it, in view  
 of his attitude all during this coun-  
 try's participation in the world war.

As to whether or not Ireland gains  
 its freedom as a nation, is a question  
 in which this country as a nation has  
 no business to meddle. It is purely  
 a British question and should be left  
 to that government to settle alone.  
 Just as surely as this government pas-  
 ses any resolution recognizing the  
 Irish Republic as a separate nation,  
 just as surely will we be precipitated  
 into a conflict with England, and the  
 turmoil of the world will be on again.  
 If one of our own states wanted its



**LUCKY  
 STRIKE  
 CIGARETTE**



independence; say, California, for in-  
 stance, on account of its stand on the  
 Japanese question, we would resent it  
 with all the power of the government  
 if Great Britain would take the part  
 of that state and recognize it as a  
 separate government so long as it was  
 held as part of the United States.

It is unquestionably a fact that the  
 Irish people are dominated by the  
 priestly power of the Catholics, who  
 are in a fight against the protestant  
 power of England, and it is purely a  
 fight of their own, and the United  
 States should play hands off so long  
 as Ireland is a part of the British  
 nation.

We quote from The New Age maga-  
 zine, as follows: "The whole body of  
 the priesthood have turned into elec-  
 tioneering agents and are employing  
 for political purposes all the engines  
 and powers of their profession. With  
 such a condition of affairs, the Irish,  
 awed by superstition, seduced by  
 hereditary prejudices, and menaced by  
 priests, implicitly obey those clerical  
 firebrands; and those among them  
 who have no fear of eternal damna-  
 tion—for them there is any amount of  
 intimidation, burning of their houses,  
 threats of assassination, and violence in  
 every conceivable form. Such is the  
 sacrilegious conflict, and it is this  
 state of things that the persistent,  
 well-organized and secretly financed  
 propaganda is asking the world for ac-  
 tive assistance."

America, a nation of free peoples  
 guaranteeing the inalienable right to  
 every man to worship as he chooses,  
 and recognizing no church or denom-  
 ination above another, has no part in  
 such a fight and should play hands  
 off and leave it to the British nation  
 to settle this question according to its  
 own judgment and dictates.

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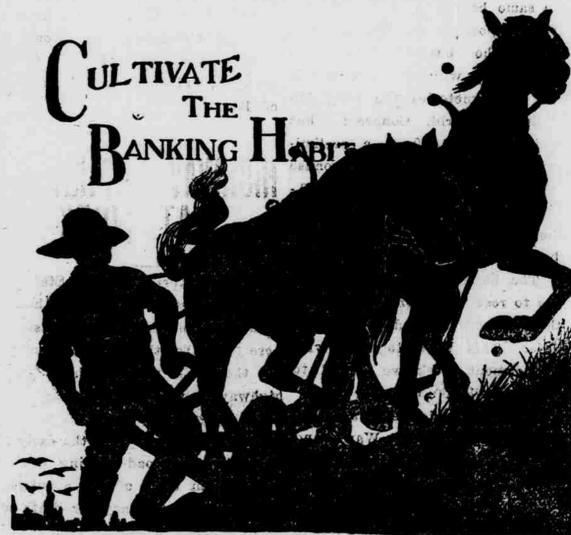
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